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Cycle 1: Jan 10 - Feb 13 (Registration: Oct 20, 2009 - Jan 6, 2010)

- [Catholic Beliefs](#)
- [Church and Communication](#)
- [Church History 1](#)
- [Conscience](#)
- [Ecclesiology: The Beginnings of the Church](#)
- [Ecumenism](#)
- [Faith and Human Development](#)
- [Foundations and Visions for Adult Learning and Faith Formation](#)
- [Images of Jesus](#)
- [Introduction to Catechesis](#)
- [Introduction to Liturgy](#)
- [Introduction to Media Literacy Education](#)
- [Introduction to Practical Morality](#)
- [Introduction to Prayer](#)
- [Letters of Paul](#)
- [Marianist Studies: Community](#)
- [Marianist Studies: Education](#)
- [Marianist Studies: Prayer](#)
- [On Bended Knee \(Seminar\)](#)
- [Our Hearts Were Burning \(Seminar\)](#)
- [Overview of the GDC & NDC \(Seminar\)](#)
- [Pastoral Planning for Lifelong Faith Formation](#)
- [Poverty in the U.S. and Around the World](#)
- [Sacraments](#)
- [Scripture: Introduction](#)
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- [Scripture: Old Testament](#)
- [Spirituality and Inclusive Faith Communities](#)
- [Survey of Catholic Doctrine](#)
- [Vocation, Spirituality and Discipleship of Catechists](#)

Cycle 2: Feb 28 - March 20 (Registration: Jan 13 -Feb 24)

- [Designing a Parish Catechetical Plan \(Seminar\)](#)
- [Marianist Prayer Circle](#)
- [On Bended Knee \(Seminar\)](#)
- [Our Hearts Were Burning \(Seminar\)](#)

Cycle 3: April 11 - May 15 (Registration: March 2 - April 7)

- [Catholic Beliefs](#)
- [Church History 2](#)
- [Ecclesiology: Pilgrim Church](#)
- [Evangelization and Discipleship](#)
- [Faith and Human Development](#)
- [Images of Jesus](#)
- [Introduction to Catechesis](#)
- [Introduction to Christian Morality](#)
- [Introduction to Practical Morality](#)
- [Introduction to Prayer](#)
- [Letters of Paul](#)

- [Marianist Studies: Charism](#)
- [Marianist Studies: Founders](#)
- [Marianist Studies: Leadership](#)
- [Mary in Scripture and Tradition](#)
- [Media, Faith and Values](#)
- [National Directory for Catechesis](#)
- [Parish as Learning Community](#)
- [Sacrament of Marriage: A Holy Calling](#)
- [Sacraments](#)
- [Scripture: Introduction](#)
- [Scripture: New Testament](#)
- [Scripture: Old Testament](#)
- [Scripture and Justice](#)
- [Survey of Catholic Doctrine](#)

Cycle 4: May 30 - July 3 (Registration: Apr 13 - May 26)

- [Advanced Catholic Social Teaching](#)
- [Catholic Beliefs](#)
- [Church and Communication](#)
- [Church History 1](#)
- [Conscience](#)
- [Ecclesiology: Beginnings of the Church](#)
- [Ecclesiology: Reframing Church](#)
- [Many Faces of Adults](#)
- [Images of Jesus](#)
- [Introduction to Catechesis](#)
- [Introduction to Liturgy](#)
- [Introduction to Media Literacy Education](#)
- [Introduction to Practical Morality](#)
- [Introduction to Prayer](#)
- [Islam](#)
- [Marianist Studies: Prayer](#)
- [Marianist Studies: Social Justice](#)
- [National Directory for Catechesis](#)
- [Overview of the GDC & NDC \(Seminar\)](#)
- [Pastoral Planning for Lifelong Faith Formation](#)
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